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# 2023 MICHIGAN NOTABLE BOOKS

**As Long as I Know You: The Mom Book**  
Anne-Marie Oomen,  
University of Georgia Press

**Blood and Fire: The Unbelievable Real-Life Story of Wrestling's Original Sheik**  
Brian R. Solomon, ECW Press

**Chevy in the Hole: A Novel**  
Kelsey Ronan, Henry Holt and Co.

**Dilla Time: The Life and Afterlife of J Dilla, the Hip-Hop Producer Who Reinvented Rhythm**  
Dan Charnas, MCD

**Ferne: a Detroit Story**  
Barbara Henning, Spuyten Duyvil

**Guardians of Michigan: Architectural Sculpture of the Pleasant Peninsulas**  
Jeff Morrison, University of Michigan Press

**Hadha Baladuna: Arab American Narratives of Boundary and Belonging**  
Edited by Ghassan Zeineddine, Nabeel Abraham, and Sally Howell, Wayne State University Press

**I'll Be There: My Life with the Four Tops**  
Duke Fakir with Kathleen McGhee-Anderson, Omnibus Press

**It's Hard Being You: A Primer on Being Happy Anyway**  
Sharon Emery, Mission Point Press

**Love Radio**  
Ebony LaDelle,  
Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers

**Magic Season: A Son's Story**  
Wade Rouse, Hanover Square Press

**The Peacekeeper: A Novel**  
B.L. Blanchard, 47North

**Satisfaction Guaranteed: How Zingerman's Built a Corner Deli into a Global Food Community**  
Micheline Maynard, Scribner

**Scarlet in Blue: A Novel**  
Jennifer Murphy, Dutton

**Shapes, Lines, and Light: My Grandfather's American Journey**  
Katie Yamasaki, Norton Young Readers

**The Star That Always Stays**  
Anna Rose Johnson, Holiday House

**The Turtle of Michigan: A Novel**  
Naomi Shihab Nye, Greenwillow Books

**Uphill: A Memoir**  
Jemele Hill, Henry Holt and Co.

**We Kept Our Towns Going: The Gossard Girls of Michigan's Upper Peninsula**  
Phyllis Michael Wong,  
Michigan State University Press

**What the Fireflies Knew: A Novel**  
Kai Harris, Tiny Reparations Books



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